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The live merchant appreciates the fact that he's in the heighth of the fall season and he's throwing a few extra dollars in his campaign of publicity. The dead merchant doesn't know he's living.

NEARLY $2,000 IN PRIZES TO BE GIVEN AWAY---ALL HAVE EQUAL CHANCE

Greatest Subscription Contest Ever Placed Before The Monessen People

With this issue of the Independent is inaugurated a most stupendous newspaper undertaking which for its lavish generosity, for its monumental enterprise and genuine, whole-souled desire to meet its thousands of readers and friends more than half way has never been surpassed in the history of journalism in Westmoreland county.

Conceived in an atmosphere of bigness, and planned on a gigantic scale, the Independent's mammoth venture is fittingly characterized as the grandest opportunity in several generations for its innumerable friends to participate in one of the greatest voting contests ever thrown open to the people of this city and Westmoreland county.

Contest Launched

After mature deliberation and careful investigation the grand circulation campaign launched today has been decided upon, all plans have been completed and a whirlwind voting contest for $1,800.00 worth of handsome and valuable prizes is now under way.

The prizes selected by the Independent represent in every detail the very best money could buy, and involves some of the most magnificient prizes ever offered in a similar affair in this city. In making up this list of prizes, the ordinary newspaper premiums were not even as much as considered; only prizes of real merit and desirability were thought to be worthy of the Independent's detemination to put on foot such an enterprise as it might well and justly be proud of. In consequence of this determination, expense was practically lost sight of, so that the list of prizes is calculated to fairly take one's breath away.

Five Prizes

Five prizes in all are offered to the people as a result of the generosity and progressiveness of the Independent. The opportunity to compete for one of these beautiful prizes is offered to any man, woman, boy or girl.

Something For Everyone

All candidates who remain active until the end of the contest, but who fail to win a prize, will be paid a commission of ten per cent. on all prepaid subscriptions turned in during the contest.

The Independent feels that it is offering a sufficient number of prizes to go around and that there will be surely something for everyone who enters the contest with ambition and determination to win. No cost whatever will be attached to any person's candidacy in this contest at this time.

Each and everyone of these prizes costing an aggregate of $1,800.00 is to be given away in the strictest sense of the word. Not a penny is required of anyone who is eligible to enter this grand undertaking, nor will it cost one penny to stay in to the end, and win one of these handsome and valuable prizes. The Independent at the very outset of this contest is frank to admit that votes will be exchanged on prepaid subscriptions to this newspaper, whether they be old or new, but the Independent does not ask the money of those competing; it simply asks for their good will and a little effort during their spare time on behalf of the Independent. It is offering to the ambitious, wide-a-wake, energetic and popular people what it believes to be the opportunity of a generation, but it hopes at the same time to benefit in new friends, new readers and an increased circulation.

The grand prize is a 1916 Overland touring car which will be given free to the candidate securing the largest number of votes in the contest. The car will shortly be on display at the salesrooms of the S. S. Jones Automobile Co., Monessen, who are the local agents for the Overland cars. It comes completely equipped with electric lights, self starter, etc. Needless to say it is all that could be desired in power, comfort, serviceability, appearance and convenience.

The second prize is a beautiful high grade Lester four hundred dollar piano and will be awarded to the candidate securing the second largest number of votes in the race. Even if you do not care for the piano you can turn it into cash and realize a neat substantial sum in cash for it. A nest egg in the bank is always a good thing to have.

The third prize of the contest will be a brilliant white diamond valued at $200.00 and set as the winner may desire. It is absolutely perfect and the richest lady in the land might well feel proud to wear it. Diamonds are always a good investment, increasing in value every year. No matter how great the effort you put forth, you will be well repaid if you win this gem of the diamond cutters' art.

The fourth prize in this big contest is one of the latest type hundred dollar grafanolas. This is by far the most artistic model ever made by the Columbia people, and fills a place that can only be occupied by itself alone. The winner of this beautiful prize will always have cause to be thankful that he or she entered the contest.

The fifth prize is a beautiful fifty dollar diamond stick pin. All the prizes will be on display at the Daily Independent office.

Turkey Returned

Mrs. Hugh Maloney of Knox avenue is rejoicing. Saturday she was mourning the loss of a big fat 25-pound Thanksgiving turkey and half sobbing she telephoned an ad to the "Lost" columns of this paper. Scarcely had the issue appeared on the street than the turkey found its way back to the Maloney home. While the fowl hadn't been studying the lost column, it had wandered several blocks away and was gobbling about the neighborhood when it was captured. Then the Independent put in its appearance, conveying the news that the turkey belonged to Mrs. Maloney and it was returned at once. It was valued at about $6.00 or the equivalent to two yearly subscriptions to the paper. Subscribe now for you can't tell when the home paper may be able to help you out of some predicament.

The body of Wilbur Sibbitt, who died last week in San Francisco, following an operation for appendicitis, arrived here this morning on the 10 train and was taken to the home of his sister, Mrs. Earl Shutterly on Fifth street. The services will be held tomorow morning at 10:30 with interment being made at Coal Center.

Distress Signal Was Answered

The football game between Monessen and Charleroi Saturday in which the Monessen High school team took the laurels from the Magic City High has brought about a peculiar aftermath story.

Three young men were calling on Charleroi girls last evening and their visits were interrupted in a very indecorous manner. At one place about 9 o'clock a boisterous rap came to the front door, and when the young lady answered it, she was asked if a certain young man from Monessen was there, and when the answer was given in the affirmative, they are said to have entered the house, seized the young man and roughly escorted him to a street car, placing him aboard and instructing him to go home.

The crowd then went to other places and instructed the Monessen boys to get out of the town. One young man is said to have stepped to a phone and called up sporting headquarters in Monesesn and suggested that assistance come to his rescue. Fifty young people from Monessen rushed into Charleroi by street car and automobile and took charge of the young man and hastened him home, while the crowd was growling about the place.

Just after the game was played Saturday there was signs of soreness when pennants were being jerked off the Monessen rooters, but the matter was passed off lightly. It is likely that the local boys will be loyal to their town now and will look up girls on this side of the river since the Magic City is such a hard loser.

—The famous serial with Grace Cunard or Kitty and Francis Ford—the 20th episode of "The Broken Coin." Today at Olympic. 1t

Game Tonight

This evening at the Colonial Palace bowling alleys, the first big match game of the season will be rolled when the California and Colonial teams clash in three games for a $50 purse. The two teams met last week at California and the local boys won out by a close margin. The visitors are anxious to get their money back and with the addition of several new stars are confident that they will return home winners.

—George Martin, son of John Martin of Perryopolis, ended his life Saturday night by shooting himself through the heart. He was about 43 years of age and married. He is survived by an aged father and mother.

—Nestor comedy of Universal Co, "Those Kids and Cupid" featuring Rhodes and Gallagher. Today at the Olympic. 1t

Monessen High School Won Valley Championship By Defeating Charleroi

Monessen High school, champion of the Monongahela valley, was the verdict rendered after one of the most bitterly fought games ever staged in this vicinity, in which the heavy Charleroi team went down to defeat by a score of 12 to 0.

Accompanied by over 500 loyal rooters, the locals invaded the Magic City Saturday with a determination of lowering the colors of the team that disputed their claims to the championship. When they arrived at the grounds they found the grand stand occupied by hundreds of Charleroi boys and girls, with a big brass band playing "Victory" with a vigor that would send a chill through most any team.

When the Monessen High school team appeared on the grounds a wild cheer went up from the side lines and from that time on a cheering contest between the two aggregations was carried on that vied with the battle that was being fought between the teams on the gridiron.

Charleroi was certain of victory and their backers were on hand with money ready to place on their team at 2 to 1 and 5 to 3. It didn't take the local rooters long to cover every cent in sight and they readily clamored for more.

When the two teams lined up for the first scrimmage, it was readily seen that the Charleroi boys were much the heavier but for only a minute did fear enter the minds of the locals, as the Monessen line held like a stone wall and soon came in possession of the ball. Angered at the sudden turn of affairs, Stahlman, a Charleroi player, deliberately slugged one of the locals. Referee Eagan saw the assault and banished the player from the game, penalizing the Charleroi team half the distance to the goal. Just then the Charleroi subs in true Magic City fashion rushed on the field to protest and for this offense another penalty was given. In two more downs the ball was shoved across the Charleroi goal line for the first touchdown of the game. The Monessen crowd went wild, while the Charleroi band stopped playing and forgot to strike up another tune until late in the third period.

In the last quarter following a series of penalties for the locals being off-side, the ball was brought close to the Monessen goal. On the two next downs, the locals held and on the third down a bad pass was made and with fifteen yards to go the Charleroi boys failed to make the required distance and Monessen took possession of the ball. A few quick plays with a perfect forward pass brought the ball to the middle of the field when a cross buck gave the ball to Tony Conti, who had replaced Frazier at half back. Tony hit the tackle while the remainder of the backfield skirted the end. The Charderoi boys went for the end, while Tony rushed through with only the quarter back after him. He eluded him and started down the field. A backfield man grabed him around the leg, but Tony kept on going, and with the man hanging to him, slid across the line for the second touchdown, and all hopes for a Charleroi victory went glimmering.

There were no individual stars for the locals, McQuaide outplayed Brown, the star center for the Charleroi team. Newhouse and Boag tackled like demons. Preston, Frazier, Williams and McKinley tore big holes through the Charleroi line at will while the linemen for the locals held like a stone wall and laughed in the faces of their heavy opponents, who towered above them in height. It was a fitting climax to a wonderful season for the locals and great credit is due to Coaches Townsend, White and Imler in giving to the city an aggregation that holds undisputed claim to the championship of the valley. The only bad feature to marr the day was the injury to Frazier in the last period. In open play a Charleroi player grabbed him by the leg and twisted it in such a manner that he sustained a fracture above the knee. All glory to the victors, and the Monessen boys are certainly enjoying the fruits of victory, first they returned home to enjoy a big free supper, then ardent admirers showered them with bills of all denominations, a barber has agreed to give all a free hair cut, and up until the present time, the team has accepted ten invitations out for dinner. It was the last game for many players on the local team, but they will long remember the contest and the loyalty of the Monessen rooters during the season.

One of the fastest games of the season will be played this evening on the Olympic alleys at 7:30 o'clock between the Donora and Olympic teams. Both sides are made up of expert players and an interesting combat is loked for. In fact Manager Lebowitz claims it will be one of the most hotly contested games played so far this season.

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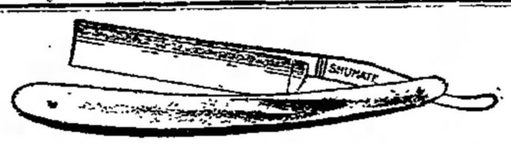

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G. C. Diehl, Genera l Manager

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The United States is the largest producer of furs in the world. Our furs have been shipped to London every year, there to be dressed and dried, and then returned to this country, at an expense of fifty-two per cent above the cost of the raw skin. To make the farce more complete, the consumers of this country have paid a heavy duty on these same furs when they were returned. Americans do bone-headed things like this, and under normal conditions the custom might have continued indefinitely. But the Department of Commerce started buying seal furs, had them dried and dyed, and then sold them to American fur dealers. This is in a large degree responsible for the fact that the furs are cheaper than heretofore, and purchasers are not so particular about the kind they wear Since London is being eliminated, it has been discovered that a whole lot of excommunicated animals including muskrats, polecats and regular cats furnish very fine furs as a result of the new "all American Plan."

U. S. Trying to Protest

One hundred million meat eating animals are slaughtered each year in the United States, and therefore it would appear that every person, including babies, eats an animal. Sixty per cent of all meat animals are slaughtered in establishments where there is federal inspection, and approximately one animal out of every fifty-eight is rejected in whole or in part on account of the meat being unfit for human use. Uncle Sam is doing his best to protect the carnivous tooth from crunching into meat infected by tuberculosis and other diseases, and the cost of the Federal Meat Inspection Service is now about $3,375,000 a year.

The Department of Agriculture is pointing to the state of Iowa as a model road builder. A measure of control has been given to the state, and the results as compared to supervision by the local forms of government are splendid. Travel has increased so rapidly that the cost of maintenance has become as high as $750 a mile in some of the eastern states. Experiments to make a type of road which can be maintained at relatively low cost, shows that the states are depending upon the various forms of bituminous macadam, concrete and vitrified-brick road.

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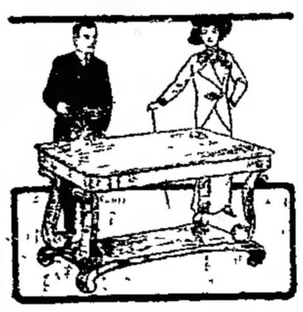

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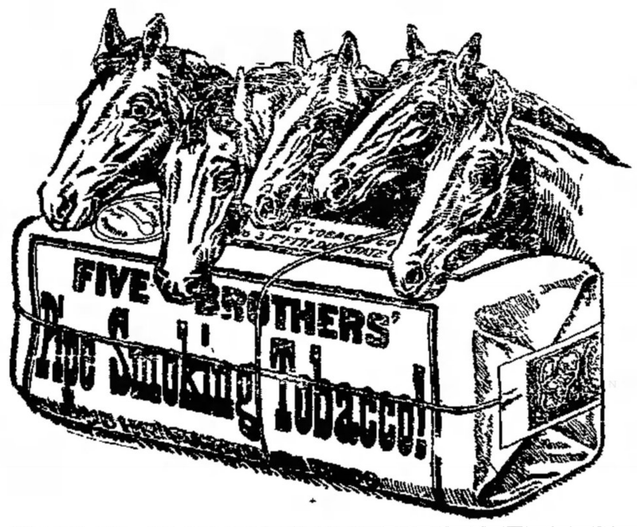

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Cranberries, lb 7c	Shrimps, extra fancy, can..... 10c	Apples, extra fancy selected, ¡ pk..20c
Extra fancy Cream, can 7c	Heinz Sweet Pickles, doz..... 7c	Silver Lake pears, large can.....12c
Fine Pearl Barley, lb..... 3c	Pineapple, large 3 lb. can.....15c	Atmore's Mince Meat, loose, lb..12c
Atmore Plum Pudding, can.....22c	Fresh Mixed nuts, lb.....15c	PureCreamery Butter, lb..... 33c
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Thanksgiving Sweets

Be sure ank take home a box of candy for Thanksgiving Day, We have a special 25c and 50c box that will please. Filled with fancy bon bons and chocolates, all homemade and of the purest quality. We will also place on sale this week a chocolate and bon bon mixture at 15 cents a pound. For Thanksgiving we have made up several new kinds of candy and invite you to visit our store and secure a sample. We carry a full line of shelled nuts.

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MONDAY—The 20th episode of "The Broken Coin."

TUESDAY—"The Sins of the Mother," where you see the beautiful little girl born with a passion for gambling, with an inherited passion for gambling, in five parts.

WEDNESDAY—The 5th episode of "Neal of the Navy." It is a wonder, nothing like it ever appeared on the market.

THURSDAY—Our Broadway Universal feature in five parts "Song Chance" with America's foremost actor, Frank Keenan, in six thousand feet, positively guaranteed.

FRIDAY—"Sealed Valley," in five parts with Dorothy Donnelly. Those who do not follow Metro pictures on Friday are missing something great Friday, Nov. 19 we had three of the greatest stars in American, Francis X. Bushman, Marguerite Snow and King Baggot. Yet we hadn't half as many people as we should have had. To see these actors alone is worth the price of admission. Do not make this mistake again.

SATURDAY—Of course the 27th episode of "The Diamond From the Sky" and Charles Chaplin in a comedy.

You remember that all the above are the extra pictures we are going to have in addition to our regular program consisting of four reels daily of the highest quality of dramas and the world's greatest comedies, L KO, Nestor, Powers and Joker. Olympic for all next week.

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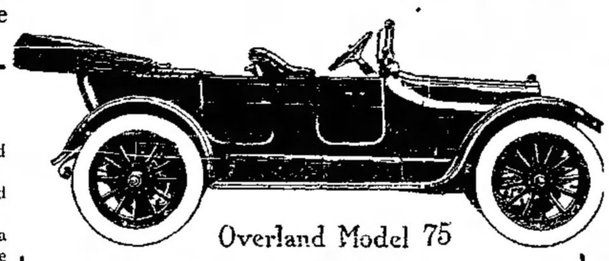

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General Information

The contest officiallly opens Tuesday, Nov. 23rd, and closes Saturday, January 8 at 9 o'clock.

The contest is open to every man and woman (married or single, old or young) in western Pennsylvania.

This is not a beauty or "popular girl" contest, but a strictly competitive plan where effort and perseverance will count.

The Grand Capital prize—Overland Touring Car—will be awarded the candidate who secures the largest number of votes in the entire contest, regardless of where he or she resides.

Those who desire to compete for one of the prizes should not wait for some one else to nominate them, but send in their own names as contestants.

The winners of the prizes will be awarded by their accredited votes. Votes are secured by securing prepaid subscriptions to the Daily Independent.

Votes will be allowed on subscriptions anywhere in the wide world. Candidates are not confined to their own town or own locality to secure subscriptions.

Subscription books will be sent free to all candidates and upon their friend's request. It costs absolutely nothing to try for a prize.

How to Enter Contest

The contest is open to every wide-awake, energetic man, woman or child who is a resident of western Pennsylvania The only requirement is that the candidate be in good standing.

All that is necessary to enter the contest and compete for the prizes is to clip the nomination coupon appearing in this page, fill in the name and address and send it or bring it to the Independent office. Immediately upon receipt of nomination coupon, the name will be entered as a candidate and 10,000 votes credited to your account. Receipt books and other working material will be sent to you.

A candidate does not necessarily have to be a subscriber to the Independent in order to compete.

4 months—$1.00	1,500 votes
6 months—$1.50	2,500 votes
1 year—$3.00	7,500 votes
2 years—$6.00	20,000 votes
3 years—$9.00	40,000 votes
5 years—$15.00	75,000 votes

Votes are allowed on all new and renewal subscriptions and also on all arrearages.

Second Prize

$400 Lester Piano

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Third Prize

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Fourth Prize

$100 Grafanola

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Fifth Prize

$50 Diamond Stick Pin

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$400 Cash Prizes

Every candidate who remains active until the close of the contest and fails to win a prize, will receive a cash salary equal to ten per cent of the amount collected on subscriptions. These cash salaries are estimated at a total of $400.00.

Rules Govering Contest

Anyone is eligible to compete by following the rules below.

Each candidate must be nominated on a blank printed in the Independent which counts for 10,000 votes.

But one nomination blank will be counted for each candidate.

Contestants are not restricted as to the territory in which they may work and secure votes.

No candidate can transfer votes after turning them in to the Contest Manager and receiving credit for them.

The Contest Manager shall decide all questions and his decisions shall remain final. All votes, remittances and subscriptions must be turned into the Contest Manager at the Independent office or they will not be counted.

Subscriptions will not be received from any person for more than five years in advance.

No telephone subscriptions or promises will be considered.

No contestant can win more than one prize.

In case of a tie between any two of the contestants, the value of the prize they are tied for and the next one below will be divided between them.

No one connected in any way with the Independent is eligible to enter the contest. The Contest Manager of the Independent reserves the right to add to these rulings.

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Nomination Blank

Date.....191..

Contest Manager Daily Independent, Monessen, Pa.:

I nominate .....

Address ..... as my candidate in the Contest.

Signed .....

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CUT out this blank and send to Contest Manager with your own name or the name of your favorite candidate.

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NOTICE

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Wrestling Match Tonight

Everything is in readiness for the great wrestling match between Bonecki, the Polish champion and Paul Davis, the Canadian champion, which will be staged in the Rutheman hall this evening. Both men are in the pink of condition and will settle an old dispute when they meet this evening. They have been traveling over the country meeting all comers and never before have been able to secure a match to settle the championship. A good preliminary program has been arranged and it is expected that a large crowd will turn out to see the match, as Bonecki is a great favorite here and has issued a challenge to meet all comers. It is possible the Greek followers of the mat will be present and issue a challenge to the winner.

—Wednesday at the Olympic—The real goods are coming, the fifth episode of "Neal of the Navy" sets wild the moving picture fans as well as the 6th, 7th etc. The real good part of the picture "Neal of the Navy" just starts. In addition Wednesday we have a special, the best comedy feature ever in Monessen with Billie Ritchie "Silk Hose and High Pressure" in three reels. 1t

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Local Notes

SEE "THE REGENERATION" AT THE STAR TODAY. 1t

—E C. Eckley of Reed avenue, visited Sunday with friends in McKeesport.

—Miss Marie Sheetz of Greensburg, will arrive tomorrow to spend several days visiting friends

—The famous serial with Grace Cunard or Kitty and Francis Ford—the 20th episode of "The Broken Coin." Today at Olympic. 1t

—Jack Butler has returned from Zanesville where he was called by the sudden death of his father.

"THE REGENERATION" AT THE STAR TODAY, A FOX FEATURE.—ALWAYS GOOD. 1t

—Friday is not far behind either with Metro pictures. Dorothy Donnelly, star of "Madam X," etc., in "Sealed Valley" in five parts.—Olympic. 1t

—Fred G. Fisher of this city and Miss Francis Jones of Belle Vernon, were granted a marriage license in Greensburg, Friday

—Nestor comedy of Universal Co. "Those Kids and Cupid" featuring Rhodes and Gallagher. Today at the Olympic. 1t

—Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Amos and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Tombaugh and daughter Ruth of Scenery Hill, were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Scott of Reed avenue.

—"Such a Princess" featuring Elsie Alberts in three reels, a Rex production under the Universal roof. Fine picture at the Olympic today. 1t

The Regeneration

Manager McShaffrey presents to the patrons of the Star theatre today "The Regeneration," a William Fox production featuring Rockliffe Fellows and Anna Nelson. This picture is a cross section of New York life and shows the two entities of a man's life, the good and bad. A leader of a Bowery gang reforms and becomes as a child under the tutelage of his god angel, a school teachers whom he has rescued from his own gang. The picture is scenically elaborate and thrilling, one of the scenes showing the burning of a picnic barge with hundreds leaping overboard from the blazing decks.

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